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co-operation of such a powerful figure

in motion picture production as the man

they had gone to first with their list

made their efforts hopeless. The list

Reld Making Game Fight.

Wallace Reid's name has been check

ed off on the list of "unsafe" person

prominent in motion picture produc

tion. He is making a hard and game

fight to come back free from the drug

and liquor habit and deserves all sym-

pathy. But will he again take his

place as an actor for the screen? Prob-

116 Remain on List.

Only 116 names on the list-person

of bad habits and worse associates

persons lacking in moral responsi-bility, and all liable at any time to bring disrepute to the motion picture industry-all listed and catalogued.

But are they moneymakers for the

day began deporting Americans ad-

dicted to drugs as undestarble citizens, in accordance with the announced intention of Mexican authorities to rid their soil of foreigners in the grip of the narcotc habit.

HAYNES PLANS DRUG SURVEY

Declares, However, It Has No Con-

nection With Reid Scandal.

Plans have been completed by the prohibition bureau for a survey of

enforcement conditions in the far

western states similar to that just

completed by Commissioner Haynes

Mr. Haynes, accompanied by several

of his bureau chiefs, will go to Port-

land, Oreg., on January 18, and later

will visit San Francisco, Los Angeles and several cities in Washington. It was said today the tour was

planned some time ago and had no connection whatever with recent re-

ports of narcotic dealings in that section.

in the south.

producers? Aye, there's the rub.

ably not.

was filed away for safekeeping.

Transfer of Money Depends on Reparations Question and Security.

GUARANTEES ARE SOUGHT

American Bankers Unwilling to Take Risks-Officials Play Waiting Game.

BY DAVID LAWRENCE.

The United States government hasn't taken half the number of steps in its policy of aiding Europe which the sensational reports of the last few days from various capitals of the world would seem to indicate. And the "irreconcilable" element in Congress is unnecessarily bestirred. Not a thing has happened or is likely to happen to trespass on their ideas of avoiding political understandings or

agreements with European powers. agreements with European powers.

The simple truth is that the European press, possibly stimulated by tresponsible reports from America, is many leaps ahead of the game. The idea of a loan to Germany is the principal source of misunderstanding. The United States government contemplates no loan. Congress need have no concern about such a proposal. And J. P. Morgan's visit to Washington doesn't mean that he asked the United States government to guarantee a loan to be made by private bankers.

Depends on Reparations.

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The situation is exactly where the international bankers' committee left it many months ago. No loan is possible until reparations is tixed at a definite sum and agreement made by Germany to pay the sum fixed. Who would buy a loan among the investors of the world if it was subject any minute to the whins of a French ministry which could order the invasion of German territory and the seizure of German resources?

German territory and the seizure of German resources?

All that has happened so far has been a sounding out of European governments and the most informal conversations looking toward the exercise of American influence in a proper way in the reparations dispute. All talk of loans and other forms of American aid is premature, in fact, is absolutely dependent upon the making of an agreement between Germany, France and Great Britain on reparations. Till that is settled it is recognized as useless to talk of what the French and British capacity to pay their war debts or interest will be, for the whole economic future of Europe rests on whether Germany is to be dismembered or helped to her feet so she can pay her debts.

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Secretary of State Hughes is out-Secretary of State Hughes is outspoken in his displeasure over the
character of the reports which have
heen published in the last few days.
The effect has been to bewilder the
peoples of the world and to arouse
fears in Congress that the administration was about to reverse itself
completely on its policy of avoiding
foreign political entanglements.

French Policy Vital.

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The whole situation really revolves now, as it has for four years, around French policy. The American government knows the big task ahead and is feeling its way cautiously. To reveal its method of approach, and the details of its argument would be to make difficult the continuance of negotiations. The idea that a rigid program has been worked out or that a formula has been devised to save Europe from disaster is, unfortunately, not true. The government here seeks such a program and wants such a formula, but must first satisfy itself of what can be done. The central controversy is about reparations. Until that is settled there is no use thinking of loans or even economic conferences. All the steps which imply a more active policy of help to Europe on the part of the United States can be momentarily set aside while the government here endeavors to mediate as between France and Germany and Great Britain on the amount of reparations.

The United States is a party to that portion of the treaty of Versailles dealing with the fixing of the amount of reparations and can take the initiative in proposing a settlement. The United States as one of the victors in the war is entitled to say what she believes the vanquished will pay. Some method of arbitrating this dispute and compelling an acceptance of the decision of the arbitrating nation or tribunal must first be found before anything else can even be considered, even the idea of foregoing interest on allied war debt of the American funding commission is preparing to discuss with the debtor nations in the early part of 1923.

One thing at a time—and not so fast—for diplomacy moves slowly. This is the word of caution of officials today as they warn the public not to expect America to be able to accomplish very work by the dealer in the word of caution of officials today as they warn the public not to expect America to be able to accomplish very

the word of caution of officials today as they warn the public not to expect America to be able to accomplish very much. For, after all, it is an almost inflexible French government whose views must be molded to conform with the British and American views before Europe can be materially helped by any formula.

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GREEK SHIP NEEDS HELP.

American Vessel Unable to Decipher Radio From Melpo.

BOSTON. December 18.—Radio messages received today said the Greek
steamer Melpo, bound for this port
from Immingham, was in need of assistance, with her steering gear disabled. The messages came from the
steamer George Washington, which
was in communication with the ship.
Her position was given as about 1,200
miles east of St. Johns, Newfoundland.

Later the George Washington re-ported that the Melpo was broad-casting messages in the Greek tongue, which no one on the Wash-jugton could decipher.

U. S.-GERMAN LOAN King George's Son To GoUnder Knife EXPERTS NEEDED



BRITISH PRESS NOT IN FAVOR OF LOAN

PRINCE GEORGE.

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ment predominate in these secondday reflections on the situation, but
there are a few words of welcome for
the proposition, as in the case of the
opposition newspaper L'Oevure, which
expresses pleasure over the interest
of the United States, "even if it has
no immediate practical results."

The Temps says the plan looks as
if it had been drafted by the Germans
rather than the Americans, and suggests that the Germans, after elaborating an agreement with American
bankers, make a proposition to the
allies for the payment of reparations,
and then the allies will see if they
can make the concessions that are
asked. can make the concessions that are

Critics Are Severe.

M. Bainville, in La Liberte, is the most severe critic of the reported project. "If the United States seriously wished to save Europe from financial chaos," he says, "their first care should be to annul the claims they have against the allies." He sees in what he calls Washington's move, simply an effort to prevent occupation of the Ruhr by France, and asks, "Is this the only result of Clemenceau's tour?"

The writer adds that the money the Americans could lend "will be asked for some day, just as they already demand the billions they advanced the allies for a common war."

"The German government." said Herr Hamm, in reply to a question, "made no official request for American intervention. In my opinion, the United States hesitated to extend financial assistance to Europe or to cancel the allied debts because she was afraid that such action would only strengthen militarism in Europe. I believe that France's attitude alone justified that apprehension. Germany is through with militarism, first because she cannot wage another war, and, second, because she does not want to. Germany has repeated this time and again, but many persons, including newspaper writers and high officials abroad, still believe the legend that Germany is just waiting

cles in Germany there is propaganda seven kinds of narcotics. for a war of revenge, but as such a

war is a physical impossibility, it is obvious that this agitation is being carried on merely for international po-litical purposes."

The industrial group, headed by The industrial group, headed by Hugo Stinnes, is by no means optimistic. It is rather disappointed because of France's failure to occupy the Ruhr basin and also because of the improvement in the rate of exchange for German money. In Essen and Cologne it was said only a few days ago, that Stinnes, Thyssen, Kloeckner and other steel, iron and coal magnates were looking forward to Premier Polncare's carrying out his threat, as this would promote their working together with the great French industrialists, and they would get French francs and not German marks for a large part of their products. The developments of the last few days have disappointed them sorely, and if the international loan and reduction of reparations should materialize, the Cuno cabinet should score heavily against Stinnes and his colleagues.

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Foreign Commerce Bureau Chief's Report Would Extend Department's Activities.

Describing the past fiscal year a "one of the most crucial periods in the history of the nation's foreign trade," Julius Klein, director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce of the Department of Commerce, in his annual report to Secretary Hoover, made public today, points to the complete reorganization of the bureau as the prime factor, enabling it to help American export interests withstand the "inroads of recovering European competition in the world's mar-

In addition to the commodity divisions, the reorganization program included the creation of a division of commercial law and a transportation division so that business men could be supplied with expert and technical advice in those complicated fields of export effort. The bureau's regional divisions also were expanded. The number of requests for information on foreign trade problems and questions has increased from 1,000 a day to 3,000 a day, the report states, and more than 50,000 merchants and manufacturers have called during the year at the divisional offices of the bureau seeking advice and data.

Need More Experts.

The writer adds that the money the Americans could lend "will be asked for some day. Just as they already demand the billions they advanced the allies for a common war."

"Pertinax," in the Echo de Paris, says the conditions made by America, "are to accept the reverse of what is necessary to prevent Germany from employing the new strength she would get to avoid paying reparations." He suggests that the Americans could render great aid by allowing France to selze German capital in America, which, he declares, is sufficient to pay reparations for two years, thereby avoiding a moratorium."

GERMANS ARE HOPEFUL.

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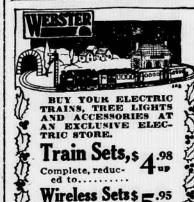
BERLIN, December 18,—The drowning German people have grasped at three straws in the last few days and many of them now believe that they are saved. The sudden rise of the German mark from 8,500 to the dollar to 5,600. Premier Foincare's renunciation of his intention to occupy the Ruhr district and the possibility of an American and international loan of \$1,500,000,000 have sent the barometer of Germany's feelings up to "optimism." Even those who were violently opposed to Chancellor Cuno on the ground that he was "capitalistic" are now shouting.

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List Filed Away. The members of the committee, wiser than when they came, took back their



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Several months ago a group of By the Associated Press. sitions in the motion picture world, the international line from here, to-

operation so readily given them when the matter of reforming the motion picture industry from the inside was broached, the members of this committee approached the head of production of one of the larger motion picture concerns. He received them is through with militarism, first because she cannot wage another war, and, second, because she does not want to. Germany has repeated this time and again, but many persons, including newspaper writers and high officials abroad, still believe the legend that Germany is just waiting for a chance to start a war of revenge with the assistance of Russia, with which she is alleged to be allied through a secret military treaty.

Calls War Impossible.

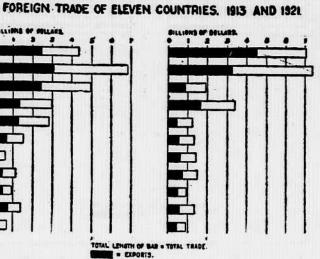
"That is all humbug. It is true, of course, that in certain monarchist circles in Germany there is propaganda.

Seven kinds of narcotics.

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was filed away for safekeeping.

Today "Wallie" Reid, one of the most popular actors of the screen, is a failen idol. The fact that Reid was addicted to drugs hasn't been news in Hollywood for more than two years. He was a good fellow, though, and his own worst nemy, and no newspaper man who knew Reid was willing to "break" the story. But now that the truth has found its way into print, it is just as well that the full truth should be known, and how the present scandal about Reid could have been avoided through farsightedness and a higher regard for moral fiber than for mere dollars on the part of men who control the making of motion pictures. LOUISVILLE, Ky., December 18 .-For a period of twenty-five minutes beginning at 8 o'clock last night all street cars in the city were at a standstill because the current of the Louisville Railway Company was cut off by disturbances in atmospheric conditions created by the aurora borealis

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE IS ASSAILED BY EDWARDS

Declares It Falsifies Statements at Washington Bureau, in Gotham Speech.

NEW YORK, December 18 .- Th NEW YORK, December 18.—The Anti-Saloon League was charged with "deliberately resorting to falsehood to get money from the churches" by United States Senator-elect Edward I. Ehwards of New Jersey last night in addressing a "wet meeting" of the Molly Pitcher Club, militant women's organization of the New York State division of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment.

"I shall have some interesting developments in this field to make public later," Gov. Edwards continued.

In another part of his speech, he accused the Anti-Saloon League of issuing untrue information from its busing untrue information from its busing untrue information from its busing untrue. ably not.

That leaves only 116 names on the list of "unsafe" ones in motion picture productions, with only 116 potential scandals in store to blast further reputations among screen players, directors and producers and reflect upon the entire industry. Probably any call boy in the motion picture studios could rattle off at least twenty of these names at the first asking, and among the very first would mention the name of a woman star, better known, perhaps, than Wallace Reid—a fascinating little actress who has already had her innings with undesirable publicity—as among the "hopheads" of the studios.

cused the Anti-Saloon League of is-suing untrue information from its bu-reau in Washington.

Characterizing the spread of boot-legging as "the most conspicuous evil development" of prohibition, Gov. Ed-wards said:

"I am on my way to Washington and

"I am on my way to Washington, and they are going to hear from me there on the prohibition question somehow

Others who also spoke against pro-hibition were Augustus Thomas, execu-tive chairman of the Producing Man-agers' Association, and Miss Elizabeth

CONVICTED OF SLAYING **BROTHER AND HIS WIFE**

producers? Aye, there's the rub.

Will there be a change in conditions?

Will Hays, ruling head of the motion picture industry, happens to be in Los Angeles right now. He was on the ground when one of Hollywood's scandals broke right under his nose, And he is not at all happy over it. The Reid scandal caught him unawares. It was put up to him. He has been quoted and misquoted at length—chiefly misquoted. All that he really said when the matter was first brought to his attention was that there was nothing for him to say except that he joined with others in hoping that Reid will win back his health and be himself again.

(Copyright, 1922.) Nie Sheffer of Angola, Ind., Sentenced to Life Imprisonment for Double Crime.

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Americans in Grip of Drug Habit

Regarded as Undesirables.

By the Associated Press.

CALEXICO, Calif., December 18.—

Mexicali, Lower California, just across the international line from here, to-day began deporting Americans additional connection with the children's death and he was released. ment in connection with the children's deaths and he was released.

NOTED EDUCATOR DIES.

BERKELEY, Calif., December 18 .-W. T. Reld, former president of the University of California, died at his home here vesterday. He was head of the university from 1881 to 1883.

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ri-color of the Irish Free State.

Richard Mulcahy, minister of de

ence in the free state government

saluted the British colors as they

the quays to North Wall, with their bands playing and their colors flying, making a picturesque scene which attracted enormous crowds.

The rush here was so great that the barriers to the North Wall extension, where the transports were lying, gave way, and the huge crowds, which included many woman friends of the departing soldiers, rushed out upon the quay, waving handkerchiefs and union jacks and wishing the soldiers God speed. The "Tommies" were astonished at the display of good will.

After the departure of the British forces Mr. Mulcahy addressed the Irish troops at the Royal barracks on the lesson of the transformation. He spoke first in Gaelic, reminding the soldiers that for centuries the positions just evacuated had been held by "enemies of the Irish nation."

Then, reverting to English, Mr. Mulcandy wald the convention of the lesson.

by "enemies of the Irish nation."

Then, reverting to English, Mr. Mulcahy said the occupation of the barracks in the future would of necessity be very different in manner and spirit from the occupation of the past. Complimenting the troops on their smart appearance, the minister said the army Ireland had constituted would be utilized for the defense of the country. The soldiers would have to go back to work in an ordinary way

ame down for the last time.

By the Associated Press

flags flying.

House Body Names Members to Consider Defiance of Probers' Last British Soldiers Leave Subpoena **Dublin Area and Tri-Color**

The House judiciary committee ap pointed a subcommittee today to in vestigate what action, if any, should be taken in connection with the refusa of Representative Keller, republican DUBLIN, December 18 .- The Union Minnesota, to testify before the com Jack and the authority it symbolized mittee as to the information on which in Ireland for so many years had gone he based his impeachment charge back to Britain today with the last of against Attorney General Daugherty. the British soldiers occupying the This decision to refer the question Dublin area, and in its place over the

to a subcommittee was reached after military posts of this city floated the an hour and a half of discussion in executive session. - A motion also was The departure of the king's garriadopted that the committee proceed tomorrow to take further testimony under the specifications filed by Mr. son and the installation of the free state troops was accomplished with a remarkable display of fraternity and good will. Sunday crowds, cheering enthusiastically, watched the British military march to the docks with flags flying.

UNEMPLOYED SEEK KING.

ame down for the last time.

All the evacuated posts are in the Dublin area. They include British general headquarters in Parkgate street, the Royal Hospital and the Royal Irish Constabulary depot in Thoenix Park. Between 3,000 and 4,000 British troops left Dublin today. At the Royal Hospital Gen. MacReady, the British commander, before leaving, paid a personal visit to the wards containing pensioners, many of them veterans, who had fought under the British flag in many parts of the world.

The British troops, marced along the quays to North Wall, with their bands playing and their colors flying, making a picturesque scene which LONDON. December 18.—After a demonstration of unemployed in Trafalgar Square a deputation was sent to Buckingham Falace, in an orderly attempt to present a petition to King George. The king declined to receive the men and referred them to the home secretary. home secretary.

among the people. The courage, discipline and love of order they had learned in the army should prepare them to take their places industrially among the people as useful citizens.

Central America Rejects Proposed Political Union

By the Associated Press.

The proposal that the Central American conference meeting here discuss a program looking to po-litical union of the five Central American republics went by the boards today when the conference resumed its sessions after receiv-ing formal instructions from all the governments interested. The five nations decided against con-sidering the union proposal by a vote of 3 to 2.

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By unanimous vote, however, it was decided to consider the feasibility of a union at a later conference, the time and place of which still are to be fixed.

Only the delegation from Salvador joined the Honduran delegates in support of its proposal to consider the union.

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Fard Dates—lb...... 30c Californja, in boxes..... \$1.00 California, in jars......50c and 75c

full pound box, 75c.

Pint and quart jars-85c and \$1.50. Caviar—fresh—in 4-oz. and 8-oz. Malaga Grapes......lb., 35c

Deliciously rich-as they are harmlessly pure-

Candy Canes-each, 5c to 75c. Hard Candies-lb., 25c to 40c and French Mixed Candies-lb., 30c.

Milk Chocolates, our own make; lb., \$1.50.

-Packed ready for delivery locally or shipment out of town-containing -Fruit Cake, Chocolate Mints, Stuffed Prunes, Jar of Dates, Package of Raisins, Conserved Fruit, Jar of Figs, Salted Nuts, Crystallized Ginger, Jar of Stick Candy.

Five Dollars

Shelled Nuts.

\$1.00.

Crystallized-1/4 lb., 25c; 1/2 lb., 45c;

Fruit Salad.

Oranges, California and Florida, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 Doz.

Xmas Candies

Christmas Toy-Filled Stockings 25c to \$1.50

Ribbon Candies-2-lb. box, 60c.

Dark Chocolates, our own make: lb., \$1.25.

Cornwell's "Christmas Goody Chest"